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Appln. No.:	09/589,384	
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Title:	Apparatus for Subcutaneous Administration of an Injectable Product	Group Art Unit: 3763

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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I hereby certify that this document is being sent via First Class U.S. mail addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 22 day of September, 2004.

Frances Erue
(Signature)

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of one month from September 4, 2004 to October 4, 2004 within which to respond to the Final Rejection dated June 4, 2004. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 04-1420.

Respectfully submitted,

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